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SUBJECT: UNESCO: MEETING OF EXPERTS ON RIGHTS AND
DUTIES IMPOSED ON STATES AND GROUPS BY A NEW
ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL ORDER

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1. SUBJECT MEETING WAS HELD WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF
19 C/5 PROJECT 3.181.2 - PHILOSOPHICAL EXAMINATION OF
THE PROBLEMS OF THE CONTEMPORARY WORLD, IN FULFILLMENT
OF OBJECTIVES 4.1, 1.2, 3.1, AND 9.3 OF 19 C/4.
AUTHORITY FOR THE MEETING WAS PARA. 3178 OF 19 C/5,
WHICH PROVIDES FOR TWO MEETINGS WITH TOTAL BUDGET OF
\$52,000. MEETING WAS CATEGORY VI (I.E., LOWEST CATEGORY
OF UNESCO MEETING.) THE SECOND MEETING IN THIS
SERIES IS SCHEDULED FOR SEPTEMBER 1978, PROBABLY TO BE
HELD IN COLUMBIA, AND WILL ALSO BE CATEGORY VI.
SECOND MEETING WILL BE CALLED "MEETING OF EXPERTS ON
SIGNIFICANCE AND CONTENT OF AN INDIVIDUAL ETHIC IN ITS
RELATION TO A NEW INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL
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ORDER."

2. PERMDEL AIR POUCHING FULL SET OF DOCUMENTS, EXCEPT
FOR FINAL REPORT WHICH HAS NOT BEEN FINISHED. OF THE
EIGHT STUDIES SUBMITTED BY PARTICIPATING EXPERTS, ONE
WAS IN SPANISH, TWO IN ENGLISH, AND FIVE IN FRENCH.
CATEGORY VI MEETINGS ARE NOT NORMALLY

ALLOCATED SUFFICIENT FUNDS TO PERMIT TRANSLATION OF THE
EXPERT STUDIES. SECRETARIAT'S WORKING PAPER, HOWEVER,
WAS TRANSLATED.

3. AS IS CUSTOMARY WITH CATEGORY VI MEETINGS, THE
EXPERTS TO THE SUBJECT MEETING WERE INVITED BY THE
DIRECTOR-GENERAL WITHOUT INTERMEDIARY, AND THEY SERVED
IN THEIR PRIVATE CAPACITIES. FIFTEEN EXPERTS
ATTENDED:

IBRAHIM HELMI ABDEL-RAHMAN (EGYPT), FORMER
DIRECTOR OF UNIDO.

CU HUY CAN (VIET NAM) VICE MINISTER OF CULTURE AND
INFORMATION.

AHMED DERRADJI, (ALGERIA) PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE
TO UNESCO.

LUIS ECHEVERRIA, (MEXICO) PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE
TO UNESCO.

JOSE CARLOS FERREIRA DE ALMEIDA, (PORTUGAL)
SOCIOLOGIST, NATIONAL SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH, LISBON.

P.F. GONIDEC, (FRANCE) DIRECTOR OF THE CENTER FOR
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STUDIES OF THE POLITICAL AND JURIDICAL PROBLEMS OF THE
THIRD WORLD, UNIVERSITY OF PARIS I.

TED HONDERICH, (UK) DEPARTMENT OF PHILOSOPHY,
UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, LONDON.

Y. NAYUDAMMA, (INDIA) SCIENTIST, CENTRAL
LEATHER RESEARCH INSTITUTE, MADRAS.

J.O. OLARINMOYE, (NIGERIA) FIRST SECRETARY,
NIGERIAN EMBASSY, PARIS.

MLLE VOAHANGY RAJAONAH, (UNKNOWN) SOCIETE AFRICAINE
DE CULTURE, PRESENCE AFRICAINE, PARIS.

BEATRIZ RANGEL, (VENEZUELA) CHIEF, DEPARTMENT OF
INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS OF THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF
SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL RESEARCH, CARACAS.

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MILAN SAHOVIC, (YUGOSLAVIA) INSTITUTE ZA
MEDUNARODNU POLITIKU I PRIVEDU, BELGRADE.

LEONID R. SIOUKITAINEN, (USSR) STATE INSTITUTE OF
LAW AND ACADEMY OF SCIENCES, MOSCOW.

JOSE DE SOLAS, (SPAIN) DIRECTOR OF THE INTERFACULTY
DEPARTMENT OF CONTEMPORARY HUMANITIES, UNIVERSITY OF
MADRID.

ALBERT TEVOEDJRE, DIRECTOR, INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE
OF SOCIAL STUDIES, GENEVA.

IN ADDITION, THERE WERE TEN OBSERVERS.

4. THE DIRECTOR-GENERAL SINCERELY WISHED TO HAVE A
DISTINGUISHED AMERICAN PHILOSOPHER TAKE PART IN THIS
MEETING, AND INVITED DR. JOHN RAWLS, DEPARTMENT OF
PHILOSOPHY, HARVARD, WHO WAS UNABLE TO ATTEND. DG THEN
INVITED DR. ROBERT PAUL WOLFF, PROFESSOR OF PHILOSOPHY,
UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS, WHO ACCEPTED, BUT A FEW
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DAYS BEFORE THE MEETING STARTED, CANCELLED OUT FOR

PERSONAL REASONS. NO FILL-IN PARTICIPANT OF APPROPRIATE QUALITY COULD BE FOUND OVER THE WEEKEND BEFORE THE MEETING STARTED, AND THERE WAS NO PARTICIPANT FROM THE UNITED STATES.

5. AGENDA OF MEETING:

I. OPENING OF THE MEETING

II. ELECTION OF THE CHAIRMAN, VICE CHAIRMAN AND
RAPPORTEUR

III, RIGHTS AND DUTIES DERIVING FRO STATES AND GROUPS
FROM THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A NEW INTERNATIONAL
ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL ORDER:

A. A DYNAMIC INTERPRETATION OF INTERNATIONAL
PRACTICES:

1. CERDS

2. SIGNIFICANCE OF THE ETHICAL NOTIONS OF RIGHTS
AND DUTIES IN RELATIONS BETWEEN STATES.

AB. THE SOVEREIGNTY OF STATES AND THEIR INTER-
DEPENDENCE:

1. SOVEREIGNTY AS THE BASIS OF THE ETHICAL AND
POLITICAL WILL OF STATES.

2. RELATIONS BETWEEN STATES AND TRANS-
NATIONAL CORPORATIONS.

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3. THE NEW INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC ORDER AND
NATIONAL SCIENTIFIC, TECHNOLOGICAL AND CULTURAL
DEVELOPMENT.

C. THE FOUNDATIONS OF THE NEW INTERNATIONAL
ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL ORDER:

1. INTERNATIONAL SOLIDARITY AND DEVELOPMENT.

2. THE IDEA OF JUSTICE AT THE INTERNATIONAL LEVEL.

3. THE STATE'S OBLIGATIONS WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK
OF A NEW INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL
ORDER: POLICIES, ETHICS AND SOLIDARITY AGAINST
DISCRIMINATION.

IV. ADOPTION OF THE FINAL REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS.

V. CLOSURE OF THE MEETING.
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